

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of : MITCHELL, Julian  
Serial No. : 10/675,162  
Filed : September 30, 2003  
For : Converter Shared By Multiple Virtual Private Networks  
Examiner : CHU, Wutchung  
Art Unit : 2616  
Customer number : 23644  
Confirmation No. : 5559  
Attorney Docket No. : 41319-107482

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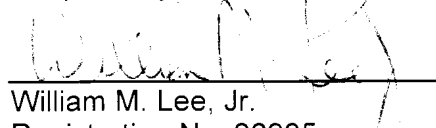
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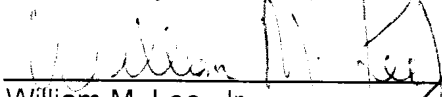
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